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## ARLINGTON

The Junior League met in the church at 3 p. m. Sunday.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. A. E. Dunn on Wednesday afternoon, October 24.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Frank Wardwell on Thursday afternoon and evening of this week, October 25.

## BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly for Busy Readers

The banks will be open all day Wednesday for bond business.

James Hamilton of Haynes Corners is visiting his grandfather, C. M. Barber of Burlington.

Don't fail to see beautiful Norma Talmadge in "The Law of Compensation" at Harte Theatre today. Adv.

Tonight, Wilson's, the orchestra with the "Pep and Snap." Come and hear them, Forester's hall 8 until 12. Adv.

In compliance with the proclamations of the President and the Governor the Drysdale store will close at noon tomorrow—Liberty Loan day.

There will be no delivery of the mail by the city letter carriers Wednesday afternoon. It is yet undecided whether the post office will be closed all or part of the afternoon.

Thursday morning the Drysdale Garment section will inaugurate a wonderfully attractive sale of women's new autumn and winter suits. See detailed adv. in Thursday's Banner. Adv.

J. K. Batchelder was in the village today from his home in Arlington for the first time in ten days, having been detained by the serious illness of Mrs. Batchelder. Her condition today shows considerable improvement.

Company A will hereafter meet on Wednesday evenings, for drill, at Library hall, where there is more room than at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. All members and recruits are expected to be on hand promptly tomorrow night at 7:30.

The members of Mountain View camp and a few friends enjoyed a dinner at the camp Sunday and after it was over found that of the money raised for the dinner there was a balance of \$6.05 and this money has been today sent to the Banner office for the local branch of the Red Cross.

William W. Woodward of Bennington, who enlisted from here last summer, is now in the 64th aero squadron and is located at Camp Keley near San Antonio, Texas. Letters received from him state that he enjoys the training and expects to be ready for actual air work in the war in the spring or earlier if his services are needed.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Moore will leave on Wednesday for California, where they will make their home in the future. They have a daughter living near Los Angeles and a son, Imperial county. Some years ago they resided for a time in southern California. Mr. Moore was severely injured in a trolley road accident in the city of Los Angeles and returned to Bennington as he believed that he would make a more rapid recovery at his former home.

Frank Seidel, who was arrested Saturday on a technical charge of intoxication, was brought before Municipal Judge D. A. Guilfoin Monday afternoon and discharged. No evidence that the man was intoxicated was presented to the court and the man was immediately released. The arrest was undoubtedly due to wild rumors which had for their foundation only the fact that Seidel had lived in Germany.

Friday evening of this week the Second Congregational church and the First Church of Old Bennington will have "Church Night" together at the Y. M. C. A. Committees on games, etc., have been appointed, and a fine social time is anticipated. The members and friends of these churches are asked to reserve Friday night for this affair. It is the first of a monthly series in which the others churches are joining.

## VERMONT COLONIAL DAMES

Annual Meeting at Fair Haven This Week

Montpelier, Oct. 23.—Mrs. George H. Smiley, president of the Vermont Society of Colonial Dames, has is-

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sued the program of the 20th annual meeting of the organization, which will take place at Fair Haven tomorrow directly following the meeting of the Daughters of America, which is held in Brandon the preceding day. The meeting will be in the parlors of the Congregational church, the first session being called to order at 2 o'clock, with a registration and informal reception to the state officers, following directly after the opening session.

The program will be opened with prayer: "A Song of Old Vermont," words by Carolyn Penner, will be sung. "Welcome to Fair Haven" will be made by Mrs. Vall Allen, followed by music by Miss Kinkaid. The reports of the state officers will be given followed by the election of the new officers. The topic of "What is the Best Service that Our Society Can Render Our State and Nation," will be discussed with two minute responses.

Judge Charles H. Darling of Burlington will give the address of the afternoon. "Le Rossignol," List, by Miss Kinkaid, will end the afternoon meeting. In the evening an informal reception will take place at the home of Mrs. George Allen. Readings will be given by Miss Isabel Gough.

A board meeting will be held at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. It was now vote at the midsummer meeting that social affairs which necessitated a large outlay of money be omitted at the annual meeting and the organization is following out that authorization.

## READY FOR WINTER

Camp Bartlett is Fixed But May Be Moved Soon.

Camp Bartlett, Oct. 22.—Although it is reported that the war department may soon issue orders covering the future of the depot brigade encamped here, it can be stated that under present conditions the troops can remain in Westfield weeks longer without discomfort. All are thoroughly equipped with woolen clothing, overcoats and blankets, the tents are provided with Sibley stoves, and the men are responding to the stimulus of the cooler weather. Such discomforts as prevailed during the early fall have disappeared. Even the contact camp for contagious diseases is being abandoned, and the men are on uptoe continually under the stimulus of the cool, bracing air. No more healthy camp site could be selected for the next few weeks than the one right here. On that point officers, men and observers are agreed.

The men were given some fire-fighting exercises this afternoon. Fire that was started to clean up the contact camp got beyond bounds and swept into the adjoining woods. It made a great uproar, the flames snapping and a great cloud of smoke rushing upward. Fire call was immediate.

ly sounded on the bugles, and companies, equipped with alarums and brooms, rushed to the scene. A half hour's strenuous work served to isolate the conflagration which then burned itself out.

The Liberty loan campaign is making astonishing progress among the soldiers. At first \$100,000 was set as the goal, but this was passed and the supplementary mark of \$140,000 was established. Now it looks as though the total would exceed \$150,000. Figure on a per capita basis, the record is considerably better than one \$50 bond to a man. The total as reported this morning was \$132,350. The success is attributed to the appeal of Gov. CoCall made in an address to the men last week, urging the support of the loan. At that time the amount subscribed was \$39,000. Nearly \$100,000 has come in since, and the end is not yet.

## POWELL CENTER

Odell-Rock

A pretty home wedding took place Monday evening at eight o'clock at the "Bungalow" in Powell Center when Miss Hazel May Rock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rock, was united in marriage by E. L. Niles to Merrie Byron Odell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Odell. The couple were attended by Miss Julia Towles

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